



AT WAR WITH GERMANY



500,000 Men Will be Sent to Aid the Allies-----The Navy Will Strike at Submarines

Joint Resolution Introduced
In Both Houses to Declare
This Country in a State
of War With Germany.First Armed Cruiser of
the United States Sunk
by German Sub-
marine.

Resolutions.

"Joint resolutions declaring that a state of war exists between the Imperial German government and the government and people of the United States and making provisions to prosecute the same.

"Whereas, the recent acts of the Imperial government are acts of war against the United States government and people of the United States;

"Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled that the state of war between the United States and the Imperial German government which has thus been thrust upon the United States is hereby formally declared; and,

"That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to take immediate steps not only to put the country in a thorough state of defense but to also exert all his power and employ all of its resources to carry on war against the Imperial German government and to bring the conflict to a successful termination."

Recommendations Made By The President.

To carry on an effective war against the German government, which he characterizes as a "natural foe to liberty," the President recommended:

1. Immediate practical co-operation in counsel and action with the governments already at war with Germany.

2. Extension of liberal financial credits to these governments so that the resources of America may be added so far as possible to theirs.

3. Organization and mobilization of all the material resources of the country.

4. Full equipment of the navy, particularly means of dealing with submarine warfare.

5. An army of at least 500,000 men, based on the principle of universal liability to service, and the authorization of additional increments of 500,000 each as they are needed or can be handled in training.

6. Raising necessary money for the United States government, so far as possible without borrowing and on the basis of equitable taxation.

7. All preparations, the President urged, should be made in such ways as not to check the flow of war supplies to the nations already in the field against Germany.

8. The American steamship Aztec was sunk by a German submarine off the coast of France. This was the first armed ship sent from this country. Some of the crew were lost.

For Re-election.

Chief of Police David F. Powers, again asks the people of the City of Richmond to consider his claims for the office of Chief of Police. Like the rest of mankind, he has not been infallible, but his record is clean-cut and he stands ready to rise or fall with it. "Dave," as he is known to all, is a whole-souled fellow and is popular with all who know him. He would rather do a favor than to be the recipient of one. And yet, with a smile and friendly word for everybody, when it becomes necessary to invoke the law against transgressors, he is brave and fearless, and performs his official duties irrespective of friend or foe. Since his incumbency in office his duties have been rather arduous, owing to the violations of the local option laws, which are in full force and effect in this city. He is a Jeffersonian Democrat and has loyally stood by its flag and principles. If nominated and re-elected to the office of Chief of Police, he pledges himself to enforce the law against all transgressors and to serve the people to the best of his ability.

Hemp Burns.

While breaking hemp and cleaning up the farm of Mr. Kit Chennault, who resides on the Irvine pike, about two miles east of the city, a wagon load of hemp was partially destroyed by fire last Thursday. In driving near a bunch of burning refuse, the hemp on the wagon caught fire. The driver unhitched the team of mules and they scampered away. A heroic effort was made to put out the flames, and the wagon was saved with only slight damage. Hemp is worth now \$14 a hundred the highest price in years. However, Mr. Chennault is very thankful he got off so lightly.

Home Preparedness.

That war in the United States is inevitable is a foregone conclusion, and that an army of 1,000,000 men is to be raised at once is the information coming from official sources. This condition will affect every home in the country from the standpoint of the matter of food supply. Food prices are high now, but the indications are that they will be higher next fall and winter than they now are and that the supply will be less, unless strenuous efforts are made to combat this condition.

This was exemplified forcibly insofar as it affects Madison county when Dr. Fred Mutchler, Chief of the Extension Department of the Government of Kentucky, was in conference with Geoffrey Morgan, State Farm Agent, T. H. Collins, District Agent, and C. C. Thomas, Secretary Chamber of Commerce here last Friday. The Secretary of Agriculture at Washington, foreseeing the shortage of the food supply for next winter has instructed all of the agents of the government, and especially the lady Home Demonstration Agents in the several counties of the State, to visit every home in the county and urge the people to plant every available garden space in potatoes, onions and other food products this summer and lay them away for the winter supply. In other words it is desired that every household become absolutely self-sustaining next winter in the matter of food supplies.

This work is being taken up in Madison county along these lines and it is a matter of serious import to every household. It is hoped that the people of the county generally will realize the condition which confronts them and will seek to follow the suggestions from the Department of Agriculture, so that when winter comes each home may be in a state of preparedness as against the high prices that are sure to come.

Proclamation.

The relations of this country with Germany having become so strained owing to the ruthless submarine warfare inaugurated by said country that Congress which has been called in special session will undoubtedly declare a state of war exists, now I, Sam'l. Rice, Mayor of the City of Richmond, call upon all the people of Richmond to show their patriotism by displaying the National Flag in every way possible. Merchants are requested to display the colors at their places of business, and at their homes. Automobiles, public conveyances, etc., etc.

Given under my hand, this April 2, 1917.

Sam'l. Rice, Mayor.

Live Stock

Louisville, April 2.—Hogs.—Receipts 3,265; market slow in opening at 10c lower. Choice hogs, 165 lb and up, \$15.25; 120 to 165 lb, \$13.70; pigs \$9.80@11.05; roughs, \$13.95 down. Good clearance at close.

Cattle.—Receipts 1,478 head, as against 1,025 last Monday. Buyers were slow in taking hold of offerings today; reports from outside markets were unfavorable and had an ill effect on the trade. The best light butchers proved scarce and sold readily; medium and common kinds slow.

Calves.—Receipts 115 head. The market ruled 50 cents higher; best veals, 11@11.50; medium 9@11, and common, 5@9 cents.

Sheep and Lambs.—Receipts 48 head. Market ruled active, with choice lambs in demand at \$13.50@14.50; seconds, \$11 down. Choice fat sheep, \$8.50@9; bucks \$8 down.

Cash Grain. The price of wheat here is fixed by the mills for car lots. Less than car lots, 4 to 6 cents lower. The prices on other grains are selling prices made by local dealers.

Wheat.—No. 2 red, \$2.07; No. 3 red, \$2.06.

Corn.—No. 3 white, \$1.30; No. 3 mixed, \$1.28.

Oats.—New No. 3 white, 70c; new No. 3 mixed, 69c.

Rye.—No. 2, \$1.65.

Cincinnati, April 2.—Hogs.—Receipts, 4,100, lower. Packers and butchers, \$15@15.40; common to choice, \$8.50@14.10; pigs and lights, \$11@14; stags, \$8@11.75. Cattle.—Receipts, 2,200. Lower. Steers \$6.50@10.50; heifers, \$6.30@10.75; cows, \$6@9; calves higher, \$6@14. Sheep slow, \$7@11.50; lambs slow, \$10@14.75.

P. B. Broadus

Highly Respected Citizen
and Politician Passes
Away

Hundreds Attend Funeral
and Pay Last Tribute of Respect

This community was greatly shocked and every head bowed in reverent sorrow when the news of the death of Mr. P. B. Broadus became generally known Thursday morning.

For several weeks the familiar figure of Pleasant Bush Broadus, known to every man, woman and child as "Cousin," has been greatly missed upon our streets. He had been confined to his home on the Irvine pike, about three miles east of this city, for some weeks, suffering from a complication of diseases. During the early part of the week there was a turn in the tide and he grew gradually worse, and at 6:30 o'clock Thursday morning death kissed down his eyelids still and he was tenderly wrapped in the dreamless drapery of eternal peace.

While surrounded by friends and loved ones—those near and dear to him, yet when the summons came, he was ready and passed quietly into silence and pathetic dust. He was of good cheer, for he had not lived for himself alone. He had not sacrificed his friends and those about him upon the cruel altar of a boundless ambition—for wealth, for fame, for place, for power. But he stood ready at an act of charity, and to extend an outstretched hand and offer a word of cheer to his fellow-citizens. In his life he so lived that no class could regard itself particularly favored; no class could feel itself, in the least, rejected; for he was the friend and servant of each and all—rich and poor alike, white and colored—men, women and children—patriarchs and babes. He was the most unique character we ever knew. Through his unselfish devotion, kindness and generosity, he won the respect and confidence of the people, and forever embled himself in the hearts of his fellow-citizens.

Mr. Broadus was one of the most widely known men and prominent citizens in the county. He probably knew as many people and had more friends throughout the county than any other man. He was a great power in politics, and at times stood for the moral, intellectual and financial betterment of the county and State, and in his demise, both are bereft of a model and upright citizen—the highest, grandest type of man.

For several years Mr. Broadus was a deputy sheriff. He was also County Assessor, and later was elected Sheriff, after which term of office he retired to the shades of private life. Several years since he purchased the farm upon which he lived at the time of his death. Upon this farm he erected a fine residence, where he and his estimable wife, the bosom companion of many years, who stood so faithfully by his side through all the changing scenes of life, lived most happily together until death knocked at their door. This was an ideal home, and the deceased never seemed so happy as when entertaining his numerous friends, who were thrice welcome at his fireside.

Deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Broadus, who passed to their reward several years ago. He was born March 25, 1858, and just recently reached his 59th year. He is survived by his wife, who before her marriage was Miss Sallie Simmons, his two foster sons, Mr. W. S. Broadus, of Richmond, and Mr. Charles Broadus, who resides on the home place, his little grandson, P. B. Jr., three sisters, Mrs. C. H. Park, and Mrs. Thomas H. Wells, of Richmond, and Mrs. P. F. Stillings, of Lexington, Washington, and an uncle, Mr. Thomas Broadus, a prominent citizen of Oklahoma.

He was a member of the Christian church, Elks and Odd Fellows lodges. Funeral services were held at the First Christian church Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Dr. E. B. Barnes, assisted by Rev. C. K. Marshall. He paid a beautiful tribute to the great worth of the deceased. The burial was in the Richmond cemetery in the presence of hundreds of relatives and friends. A large number of Elks and Odd Fellows turned out to pay the last tribute of respect to their worthy brother. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

HEMP SEED FOR SALE.

About 28 bushels of extra fine hemp seed. Raised from standard Government seed. C. W. Vermillion. Phone Ford 24. 13 2t



Rally to the Flag Boys!

At two o'clock Sunday afternoon, Luther Dargavel, in wind and rain and at the risk of his life, mounted a frail ladder and standing on the top of the same, with arm around a slender flag staff and with Old Glory in his right hand, tied the Stars and Stripes to the mast. It was a time to try the nerves of any man but young Dargavel, with an undaunted courage, surprising in a boy of his age, nimbly climbed to the top of the ladder and in the presence of many people put Old Glory to the sweep of the winds. The unfurling of the flag had not been announced but many people witnessed it from the street. Following this, the Elk's Lodge held a meeting and asked the County Judge and the Mayor of the city to issue a proclamation to the people asking them to display flags. Mayor Rice's proclamation is in another column.

Rally to the Flag, boys!

Killed by Son

Green Warford, colored, who resides on a farm near Rogersville, about five miles south of Richmond, was shot by his eleven year old son, Dan Warford, and instantly killed about six o'clock Tuesday morning. The elder Warford was in the city court day and went home late in the afternoon. Upon his arrival home he began to curse and abuse his wife, who had been an invalid for several months. He dragged her from the bed and out into the yard and beat her unmercifully, according to statements made by members of the family. He threatened to kill her. Monday night he loaded up his shot gun and told his wife he was going to kill her if she did not leave by ten o'clock the next day. Tuesday morning Warford was still in an ugly mood and cursing and abusing his wife. He and the son went out to look after some turkeys. The boy returned to the house ahead of his father, and knowing where the gun had been placed the night before, secured possession of it. Green Warford went in the room where his wife was lying in bed and sat down before the fire. With his hands resting upon his temples and apparently in an ugly mood, the young son pushed the door cautiously open, raised the gun and fired. Two of Warford's fingers were torn off and the force of the load entered the right temple, killing him instantly. The boy who killed his mother said he shot him because he was a bad and he would kill his mother. On learning of the killing, Sheriff Benton proceeded to the scene of the killing, but upon learning the nature of the killing did not make any arrests. Mr. Tom Chennault told Sheriff Benton any time the officers wanted the boy to notify him and he would bring him to the city. Public sentiment seems to be wholly with the boy.

Dr. McClintock's Lecture

A large and representative audience gathered at the Christian church on Friday evening to hear the lecture given by Dr. William Darnall McClintock, a former pastor of this church, and now head of the English Department of the University of Chicago.

His subject "Things Comic," or "The Newer Ideas Concerning the Sense of Humor, with Special Illustrations from the Comedy of Shakespeare," was treated in a most delightful and entertaining manner. He more than sustained the reputation he has made as a finished and able lecturer.

Dr. McClintock was brought to Richmond by the Woman's Club and the city is deeply indebted to these enterprising women for a very delightful evening.

Wounds Self-inflicted.

"Gov." Ed Brown, a bachelor who resides on Laurel street, and a candidate for Mayor, was taken to the P. A. C. Infirmary last Wednesday morning, suffering from wounds self-inflicted, so reported. Brown had a slight gash across the throat and two slashes across one of his wrists. It is said that Brown stated that he had too much blood and attempted to bleed himself. After having his wounds dressed by a physician and spending nearly a week in a ward at the Infirmary, he was discharged. Brown is about sixty-five years of age and somewhat of a recluse. It is the consensus of opinion he was in a state of mental aberration when he attempted to bleed himself, so to speak, and when he saw the blood flowing, he came to his senses, became frightened and summoned aid.

General Notice

A call to the colors! There will be a general conference of the Christian Bible Societies of this county on the 14th of April at the Second Christian church, in Richmond, from 2 till 4 p. m. Every school is earnestly requested to have its officers, teachers and pastor of the church present as there will be many things of vital interest to be attended to.

R. C. Coomer, Pres.

Miss Mary E. Cooley, aged 74 years died at her home in Lexington Wednesday, after a protracted illness and the infirmities incident to old age. Deceased was one of eleven children, all of whom have passed to the Great Beyond, with the exception of two sisters. She was born and reared near Baldwin, Madison county, where she spent the greater portion of her life. A few years ago she moved to Lexington. Funeral services were held at Baldwin Thursday afternoon, conducted by Rev. O. J. Young, of the Christian church, and the interment in the old Stocker burying ground near Baldwin.

It has been said that "trouble never comes singly." For the past two months Mr. Steve Elvis, proprietor of the F. S. E. Restaurant, has been confined to his home on East Main street suffering with lung trouble. About three weeks ago, Ellen, the six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvis, their only child and pride of the household, contracted a severe case of measles and a few days later bronchial pneumonia developed. The little patient rapidly grew from bad to worse, and Tuesday night of last week about eleven o'clock, the little sufferer passed from this sphere of suffering, misery and sorrow to that land beyond the stars, where grief and suffering and misery are unknown. Funeral services were conducted at the home Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock by Father Schulte, pastor of St. Mark's Catholic church, thence the burial in the Richmond cemetery. The little grave was covered with the choicest flowers. The heartfelt sympathy of the community goes out to the grief-stricken parents.

The weather was so unfavorable Monday that Allen & Son did not bring Chester Beauty on the street, but invited everybody to come to their barn where they will be glad to show him.

Allen & Son, South Second Street.

Miss Wright's Recital

Miss M. Eva Wright gave a recital Wednesday evening at the Auditorium which was one of the most interesting of the season. There was engaged in this recital beginners and pupils of several years standing in voice, piano and violin. Simple music and music difficult in technique and interpretation made such a pleasing variety that the large audience was charmed. Many parents expressed gratitude that we had such an efficient teacher in our city.

Success of Register's Former Editor

The local friends of Mr. Thomas H. Pickels, former editor of the Kentucky Register, will be glad to hear of his success in the East.

When Mr. Pickels left Richmond he became identified with the Western Newspaper Union, the largest publishing house in the world. He was first connected with the Cincinnati office of the company, but so splendid a record did he make there during the closing months of last year, that when Mr. C. S. Clark, the Cincinnati manager of the Western Newspaper Union, was transferred to the Cleveland office January 1st, Mr. Pickels went with him.

During the past three months Mr. Pickels has made a phenomenal success in the East, handling many large contracts in the largest Ohio and New York cities. He succeeded in attracting the attention of the general office of the company and as a mark of recognition of his work, he has just been assigned to conduct a special campaign from the Atlanta office of the firm.

He passed through Richmond Sunday leaving his family here for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Pickels during his absence in the South. They will all return to their home in Cleveland in May.

Mr. Pickels' prospects are of the highest hue, and it is freely predicted by those in touch with the Western Newspaper Union, that ere long he will become the manager of one of the 32 big offices of the company, which stretch from New York to San Francisco.

Deaths

Mr. Archie Haynes, aged 25 years, employed by the L. & N. railroad at Ravenna, was brought to the P. A. C. Infirmary last Friday morning, suffering from neuritis. He gradually grew worse until death ended his sufferings Sunday afternoon. He was a splendid young man and had many friends. Oldham & Lackey prepared the body for burial and it was shipped to Nicholasville for interment.

Mr. Joshua Hurt, aged 68 years, died at his home on the Richmond road last Tuesday morning, after a long illness of Bright's disease. He is survived by his wife and eight living children. He was a devout member of the Christian church and for 35 years had held his membership at the Fairview church near his home. He gave liberally of his means to the support of this church and its members will miss him from their leadership. He was an elder of this church. The funeral services were conducted there by Rev. Tindler, after which interment took place at the Paint Lick cemetery Wednesday morning.—Lancaster Record.

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Elks Lodge Meets In
Special Session.
Patriotic Addresses.

Lecture on Belgium

At the First Christian church in this city, Victor Bogaert, of Lexington, delivered a lecture on conditions in Belgium. Mr. Bogaert is a Belgian and was in Belgium when the war broke out and is familiar with conditions there. His address was a beautiful one, eloquent and forceful. He came under the auspices of the D. A. R. which club was assisted by the Woman's Club and the C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church. At the conclusion of the lecture, a collection was taken up and \$280.00 was realized. Checks as high as \$50.00 were contributed.

The room was decorated with American flags and the lecture was heard by a large audience of women.

P. A. C. Bazaar.

The Easter Bazaar given by the P. A. C. Infirmary Association on March 31, proved a great success. Its cause was sponsored by the men and women of Richmond and Madison County. All those interested in having a well equipped hospital, scientific nursing and a staff of successful physicians and surgeons appreciated the necessity of lending their support and giving generously in many ways.

Among the new departures at the Bazaar were the canary bird that never ceased singing so long as he sat among the flower blossoms. The platter of uncooked greens, onions, eggs and jowl which beautified the food table. The basket made by Mrs. Hume, art class of boys hung over the women's bench.

Mrs. Gorder in an 1840 costume dispensed mysterious packages through the crowd.

Never was chairman, waitress, or maid more beautiful than she was on that day, in the nurse uniform with cap.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Walker and Mrs. Marshall Collins gave special luncheons to a number of friends. Beautiful donations were given by the following:

The Richmond Greenhouse; Miss Fanny White, florist; Horaker, florist; Micheler, florist; Wm. Kendrick, jeweler; Spencer Hat Co.; Kaufman-Straus Co.; Stewart Dry Goods Co.; P. F. Walsh; Potter Shoe Co.; Brower & Co.; Embury & Co.; Wolfe, Wile & Co.

Luncheon, Mrs. Wagers \$138.30
Candy, Mrs. Kellogg 34.72
Food, Mrs. Luxon 30.88
Lemonade, Mrs. Arnold 1.25
Parcels Post, Mrs. Herrington 37.90
Aprons, Mrs. Suit 17.95
Household, Miss Wilmore 39.15
Baby, Mrs. Weisenburgh 43.15
Souvenir, Mrs. Denny 46.29
Flowers, Mrs. R. R. Burnam 23.62
Donations in money 25.00
Household articles and food sent to hospital 8.00
Total \$446.21

FOR RENT—New cottage on West Main. Ready May 1. Apply Miss K. V. Schmidt, Millinery store, 13 2t

Clean Up Days

April 12, 13 and 14, 1917, are hereby designated Clean up days. All citizens are urged to cut weeds and clean up their premises thoroughly, and place all debris in piles in a convenient place for the teams, which will be furnished by the city and carted to the city dump on said above dates.

Sam'l Rice, Mayor.

FARMS FOR SALE

I will sell privately my farm called the McWilliams place of about 145 acres lying on the Crooksville pike near Lexington. It is well watered with never failing springs, food fencing, and most of it in grass. Will also sell my place called the Wilmore place. It has a splendid building of nine rooms, good acres and well. Has about 4 acres, good barn, ice house, buggy house, cabins. Premises are in good order.

Mrs. Joe W. Bales, Collins street, Phone 879, Richmond, Ky. 13 1t

The farms advertised by Eugene Land, administrator, sold well. The river farm brought \$78.10 and the higher land brought \$85.

HYOMEI
(PAINKILLER HIGH-O-ME)
ENDS CATARRH, ASTHMA, Bronchitis, Croup, Coughs and Colds, or money back. Sold and guaranteed by B. L. MIDDLETON, RICHMOND, KY.

The President Endorsed.
Resolutions Adopted.
Flag Proclamations.

Judge Baxter, Exalted Ruler of the Elk's Lodge of this city, received the following telegram Sunday:

New Orleans, La., March 31, 1917.
T. C. O'Neil, Sec. B. P. O. E. Richmond, Ky.

It is strongly urged that all the Elk Lodges pass resolutions favoring preparedness and pledging the President their support. If such is the sentiment of your Lodge, meet quickly and so resolve. Wire the President and this office result and within your jurisdiction lend practical aid as well as pass resolutions.

Edward Rightor, Grand Exalted Ruler B. P. O. E.

The lodge was called in special session and met promptly at 2 o'clock with a large membership in attendance. The telegram was read to the lodge. John Noland offered resolutions which were adopted by a rising and unanimous vote. They read as follows:

Resolutions.
Be it resolved by Richmond Lodge, No. 581, of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America that, by unanimous vote, at a meeting of said lodge, held in the city of Richmond, Kentucky, on April 1st, 1917, said Richmond Lodge, No. 581, do hereby endorse the following:

United States, and to the Congress of these United States, the unqualified and unflinching support of its membership, composed of more than two hundred loyal Elks and patriotic liberty loving American citizens.

Be it further resolved, that in this solemn hour of the Nation's peril, we do reaffirm our belief in and devotion to American ideals and the cause of humanity, justice and popular government among the peoples of the earth; that we believe in the right of American ships and American citizens to sail the seas without let or hindrance from any foreign power, and that we urge upon those clothed with responsibility and power to take such steps as, in their wisdom, may appear necessary to enable our country to fight for and successfully defend, if necessary, the great principles for which America stands in these dark hours of world-wide conflict.

Be it further resolved that we communicate by telegram with the Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and convey to him the sentiments of this meeting, and that we also convey said sentiments to the President of the United States.

Be it further resolved that, whereas, on tomorrow, April 2, 1917, the Congress of the United States will be assembled in extraordinary session for the purpose of receiving a message from the President touching matters of national defense and matters of grave international moment, a committee of this Lodge be appointed to wait upon the Mayor of the city of Richmond, and the Judge of Madison county, and that said committee be instructed to request our Mayor and County Judge to issue a proclamation whereby they shall call upon the people of the city of Richmond, and Madison county, on tomorrow, April 2, 1917, to display the American flag as evidence of our appreciation of the dangers that lie ahead of us, and as a reminder to all loyal Americans of their duty to their common country.

Be it further resolved, that these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the Lodge and that a copy of same be mailed to the Hon. Edward Rightor, our Grand Exalted Ruler.

A telegram was ordered sent to the President, reading as follows:

Richmond, Ky., April 1st, 1917.

Hon. Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America.

Richmond Lodge, No. 581, of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, today passed resolutions pledging unqualified and unflinching support to you and to the Congress of the United States in any and all steps to be taken in defense of American rights on the high seas, and pledging the loyalty of our two hundred Richmond Elks to you in this dark hour of the Nation's peril.

J. C. Baxter, Exalted Ruler of Richmond Lodge of Elks, No. 581.

James Turley, of Kingston, sold a pair of mules for \$315.